

The libel alleged also that the articles were misbranded under the provisions of the law applicable to foods as reported in notices of judgment on foods.

DISPOSITION: 2-5-60. Default—5 btls. of the Food Supplement, 5 tins of High Protein Energy Wafers, 5 tins of Eden Treat, and 3 btls. of Chlorophyll Solution were delivered to the Food and Drug Administration. The remainder of the articles were destroyed.

6022. Various medicinal herbs and drugs. (F.D.C. No. 42795. S. Nos. 13-906/58 P.)

QUANTITY: The following quantities of the articles were in possession of the W. E. B. Chemical & Products Co., Detroit, Mich.:

(Repackaged drugs) 17 1-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *External Cataract Devil Shoestring*; 17 1-oz. pkgs. and 3 1-gal. jars of *Internal Cataract Herb Tea*; 23 4-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Rupture Herb Tea*; 15 1½-oz. pkgs. and 2 1-gal. jars of *Glad Herb Tea*; 30 1½-oz. pkgs. of *Pleurisy Herb Tea*; 22 1-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Appendicitis Herb Tea*; 19 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Kidney Herb Tea*; 26 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Varicose Veins Herb Tea*; 15 2-oz. pkgs. and 5 1-gal. glass jars of *Diabetes Herb Tea*; 23 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Mountain Balm for Shingles*; 24 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Asthma Herb Tea*; 25 1-oz. pkgs. and 2 1-gal. jars of *Hemorrhage Tea*; 19 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Epilepsy Tea*; 20 1-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Gallstone Herb Tea*; 17 1-oz. pkgs. and 2 1-gal. jars of *Flu Herb Tea*; 24 4-oz. pkgs. of *Arthritis Herb Tea*; 21 1½-oz. pkgs. and 1 1-gal. jar of *Muscular Herb Tea*; 17 1½-oz. pkgs. and 2 1-gal. jars of *Change-of-Life Herb Tea*; 28 5-oz. pkgs. of *Gruel For Stomach*; 34 ½-oz. btls. of *Creosote for Lung Conditions*; 22 4-oz. btls. of *Blood Circulation Herb Tonic*; 123 4-oz. btls. of *Dropsy Tonic*; 8 4-oz. btls. of *Kidney Herb Tonic*; 15 4-oz. btls. of *High Blood Pressure Tonic*; 90 4-oz. btls. of *Brain Herb Tonic*; 13 4-oz. btls. of *Liver Tonic*; 47 ½-oz. btls. of *Ethyl Nitre Spirits for Prostate Trouble*; 104 4-oz. btls. of *A Blood Purifier Herb Tonic*; 122 4-oz. btls. of *Hardening of the Arteries Tonic*; 81 4-oz. btls. of *Eczema Tonic*; 89 4-oz. btls. of *Heart Tonic*; 82 4-oz. btls. of *New Life Tonic*; 102 3-oz. btls. of nasal spray *For Sinus*; 116 3-oz. btls. of *Rheumatism Herb Tonic*; 52 4-oz. btls. of *Special Blood Tonic No. 2*; 118 4-oz. btls. of *Prostate Gland Tonic*; 82 3-oz. btls. of *Golden Seal Tonic*; 28 4-oz. btls. of *Special Blood Tonic*; 136 4-oz. btls. of *Marvelous Nerve Tonic*; 117 4-oz. btls. of *Hemorrhage Tonic*; 65 1-oz. jars of *Pile Ointment*; 11 25-capsule btls. of *Reducing Capsules*; 28 3-oz. btls. of a drug to stop smoking habit; 64 4-oz. btls. of *Special Compound*; a number of 2-lb. glass jars of the following: turtlebloom or balmony, woodbetony, bugleweed, wintergreen, Queen of the Meadow, burdock, Black Root, Roman Chamomile, Cramp Bark, beech bark, Columbo, Mexican Damiana, catnip, nip or mint blossoms, fenugreek, bearberry, fragrant valerian, juniper berries, licorice root, witch-hazel, goldenseal, mandrake, plantain, lady'slipper, pleurisy or butterfly weed, marshmallow root, Black Willow Bark, shepherds-purse, wild carrot herb, devils-shoestring, wahoo, kelp, cubeb, hops, lobelia, sassafras, pokeroor, Queen's Root, black cohosh, gentian, Scullcap, Gravel Plant, Corn Silk, mistletoe, yellow dock, rupturewort, saw-palmetto, comfrey root, elder flowers, Governadora, agrimony, kola nuts, sea wrack, yerba-santa, figwort, broom tops, chestnut leaves, skunk cabbage.

(Bulk drugs) 3 4-lb. bags of red clover or wild clover; 1 ½-lb. bag of boneset; 1 ½-lb. bag of bloodroot, cut; 1 4-lb. bag of periwinkle; 1 1-lb.

bag of pareira brava; a number of 2-lb. jars of American Sarsaparilla Root, beech leaves and senna leaves; 2 2-lb. jars of plantain herb or alfalfa seed; 1 btl. of Creosote N.F.; 1 btl. of aloes cape, and 1 btl. of sweet spirit of nitre.

SHIPPED: Some articles, between 10-4-57 and 9-11-58, and others on unknown dates, from Indiana, California, Illinois, Missouri, and New York.

LABEL IN PART: (Pkg. or jar) "External Cataract Devil Shoestring * * * W.E.B. Chemical & Products Co."; "Internal Cataract Herb Tea Contains: Roman Camomile"; "Rupture Herb Tea Contains: Comfrey, Mistletoe, Marshmallow, Rupturewort"; "Gland Herb Tea Contains: American Sasparilla, Blue Flag"; "Pleurisy Herb Tea Contains: Pleurisy Root"; "Appendicitis Herb Tea Contains: Elder Flowers, Peppermint, and Marshmallow"; "For Stone in the Kidney Herb Tea Queen of the Meadow, Wild Carrot, Slippery Elm, Cubeb"; "Varicose Veins Herb Tea Contains: Comfrey, Turtlebloom, Rupturewort"; "Diabetes Herb Tea Periwinkle, Great Nettle, Wintergreen, Beech Bark"; "For Shingles Contains: Mountain Balm"; "Asthma Herb Tea Contains: Cramp Bark, Skunk Cabbage, Yerba Santa"; "Hemorrhage Tea Witch Hazel Leaves"; "Epilepsy Tea Contains: Meadow, Holly Herb, Honeysuckle"; "Gallstone Herb Tea Contains Gobernadora"; "Flu Herb Tea Elder Flowers, Peppermint, Boneset"; "Arthritis Herb Tea Contains: Alfalfa Seed"; "Muscular Herb Tea Contains: Saw Palmetto"; "Change-of-Life Herb Tea Contains: Scullcap, Wood Betony, Fragrant Valerian, Hops, Lady Slipper, Chestnut leaves"; "Gruel For Stomach. Slippery Elm, Brown Sugar, Kelp, Fenugreek"; "Used for Lung Conditions. Creosote (Warning) Poison"; "Blood Circulation Herb Tonic Contains: Red Clover and American Sarsaparilla"; "Dropsy Tonic. Broom Tops, Wahoo"; "Kidney Herb Tonic. Contains: Shepherd's Purse, Wild Carrot, Gravel Plant, Agrimony, Dog Grass, Corn Silk, Cubeb, Bearberry, Juniper Berries, Parieva Brava, Marshmallow, Queen of the Meadow"; "High Blood Pressure Tonic. Contains: Red Clover, Stinging Nettle, Figwort"; "Brain Herb Tonic. American Sarsaparilla, Lousewort"; "Liver Tonic. Contains: Black Root, Mandrake, Hops, Boneset, Wahoo, Columbo Root, Wood Betony, Gentian Root, Turtlebloom"; "For Prostate Trouble. Contains: Ethyl Nitre Spirits"; "A Blood Purifier Herb Tonic. Contains: Burning Bush, Red Clover, American Sarsaparilla and Golden Seal"; "Hardening of the Arteries Tonic. Fragrant Valerian, Linden, Wood Betony, Roman Motherwort"; "Eczema Tonic. Yellow Dock, Spignet, Burdock, Poke Root"; "Heart Tonic. Gypsywort"; "New Life Tonic. Contains: American Sarsaparilla, Sasafras, Gentian Root, Tree of Life, Senna Leaves, Burdock, Licorice Root"; "For Sinus. Contains: Sodium Borate, Sodium Chloride, Camphor, Peppermint, used as a nasal spray"; "Rheumatism Herb Tonic. Contains: Black Cohash, Prickly Ash Berries, Prickly Ash Bark"; "Special Blood Tonic No. 2. Contains: Red Clover, Mandrake, Queen's Root, Black Willow, Blood Root, Golden Seal, and Sodium Benzoate, $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1%"; "Prostate Gland Tonic. Contains: Ripple Grass"; "Golden Seal Tonic. Contains: Golden Seal"; "Special Blood Tonic. Contains: Red Clover, Mandrake"; "Marvelous Nerve Tonic. Contains: Saw Palmetto, Mexican Damiana, Kola Nut"; "Hemorrhage Tonic. Witch Hazel Leaves"; "Pile Ointment. Contains: Lanolin, Plantain, Mutton Tallow"; "Reducing Capsules. Contains: Seawack, Gentian, Columbo, 2 Grams Potassium Iodine USP, Spearmint"; "To Stop Smoking Habit. Contains: Alois Cape"; "Special Compound. Contains: Lobelia, Burdock, Blood Root"; "Turtlebloom or Balmory"; "Wood

Betony"; "Bugle Weed"; "Wintergreen"; "Queen of the Meadow"; "Burdock"; "Black Root"; "Roman Chamomile"; "Cramp Bark"; "Beech Bark"; "Columbo"; "Mexican Damiana"; "Catnip, Nip or Mint Blossoms"; "Fenugreek"; "Bearberry"; "Fragrant Valerian"; "Juniper Berries"; "Licorice Root"; "Witch Hazel"; "Golden Seal"; "Mandrake"; "Plantain"; "Lady Slipper"; "Pleurisy or Butterfly Weed"; "Marshmallow Root"; "Black Willow Bark"; "Shepherd's Purse"; "Wild Carrot Herb"; "Devil Shoestring"; "Wahoo"; "Kelp"; "Cubeb"; "Hops"; "Lobelia"; "Sassafras"; "Poke Root"; "Queen's Root"; "Black Cohosh"; "Gentian"; "Sculcap"; "Gravel Plant"; "Corn Silk"; "Mistletoe"; "Yellow Dock"; "Rupturewort"; "Saw Palmetto"; "Comfrey Root"; "Elder Flowers"; "Gobernadora"; "Agrimony"; "Kola Nuts"; "Sea Wrack"; "Yerba Santa"; "Figwort"; "Broom Tops"; "Chestnut Leaves"; "Skunk Cabbage"; "Red Clover or Wild Clover (*Trifolium Pratense*)"; "Boneset (*Eupatorium Perfoliatum*, Aster Family)"; "Blood Root, cut"; "Periwinkle, cut"; "Pareira Brava (*Chondrodendron Tomentosum*)"; "American Sarsaparilla Root, cut"; "Beech Leaves"; "Senna Leaves"; "Plantain Herb, cut"; "Alfalfa Seed, whole"; "Creosote N.F."; "Aloes Cape U.S.P. Powdered"; and "Sweet Spirit of Nitre Ethyl Nitrite Spirit N.F."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The articles were shipped in bulk as described above and then were repackaged and labeled by W.E.B. Chemical & Products Co.

LIBELED: 1-26-59, S. Dist. Mich.

CHARGE: 502(a)—while held for sale, the labeling of the articles contained false and misleading representations and suggestions that the articles were an adequate and effective treatment for internal and external cataracts, ruptures, improperly functioning glands; pleurisy; appendicitis; kidney stones; varicose veins; diabetes; shingles; asthma; hemorrhages; epilepsy; gallstones; flu; arthritis; gout; wasting diseases; menopause and menstrual irregularities and pain; catarrhal infections of digestive and urinary tract; ulcerated stomach; diseases involving mucous membranes; lung conditions; impaired blood circulation; dropsy; irritated and inflamed urinary tract; high blood pressure; pain in the head, brain trouble, and "other complaints"; inactive liver; prostate trouble; impure blood; hardening of the arteries; eczema; skin eruptions; heart disease; lack of pep and vigor; sinus conditions; piles; lack of vitality and strength; in overweight conditions; overcoming the smoking habit; and constipation.

DISPOSITION: 7-13-59. Default—destruction.

6023. Mineral water. (F.D.C. No. 35395. S. Nos. 62-733 L, 62-735 L.)

QUANTITY: 353 cases, 6 ½-gal. btls. each, and 81 5-gal. carboys, at Memphis, Tenn., in possession of Mountain Valley Distributors (Mountain Valley Water Co.).

SHIPPED: 6-3-53 and 7-24-53, from Hot Springs, Ark., by Mountain Valley Spring Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Mountain Valley Mineral Water * * * A naturally pure mildly-alkaline mineral water. * * * it is ideal for regular use by children and adults * * * Visitors in Hot Springs, Ark., usually drink at least 8 glasses each 24 hours * * * Bottled by Mountain Valley Spring Co., Hot Springs, Arkansas."